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OPP nab drug harvesters in bush

by GREG HOEKSTRA
Times Staff

A group of OPP officers sent to remove and destroy a marijuana field east of Carnarvon suddenly found themselves in pursuit of 20 drug harvesters on Monday afternoon, several of whom were con-

sidered armed and dangerous.

Shortly before noon, members of the Kawartha and Huronia combined drug enforcement unit were clearing a large grow operation in the area when they stumbled across two vehicles travelling down a bush road. Upon spotting the officers, 12 men

poured out of the two vehicles and dispersed in numerous directions, with five even fleeing the scene in a row boat.

Ten of the 12 suspects were arrested in short order with the aid of an OPP helicopter, which was already on the scene to assist with the eradication efforts. At

least four of the suspects arrested were wearing body armour, and upon searching the abandoned vehicles police found at least 15 hockey bags full of marijuana plants and two loaded handguns, which prompted officers to take the necessary precautions.

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Race for Ward 1 in Minden Hills heating up

by BRYN WEESE
Times Staff

With seven hats already in the ring and three more days to go until nomination day, Ward 1 in Minden Hills is set to be a heated battleground leading up to the November 13 municipal election.

And, with one of the Ward 1 incumbents seeking re-election as Councillor at Large, there will be at least one new face on council. The question is, who will it be?

Having filed his papers as soon as possible, on January 2 of this year, Clayton Cameron is once again seeking re-election as a Ward 1 councillor.

Cameron says that his intimate knowledge of municipal government and his keen interest in his community are what sealed the deal for him to run again.

As the most seasoned political veteran of the bunch, Cameron has 22 years of municipal council experience under his belt as well as 20 years as a municipal administrator, 17 of which were in Minden. He says he enjoys the challenge of an election and this year's Ward 1 race should be interesting, and healthy.

"I'm happy to see that Ward 1 has turned out a good number of candidates. It gives people a good selection," he says. "It's encouraging to see that so many people have an interest in the municipality."

Ron Nesbitt is not a newcomer to election campaigns though, if

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Greg Hoekstra/TIMES

Police quickly apprehended 10 men who arrived at a marijuana grow operation west of Carnarvon on Monday afternoon only to discover the police already on the scene. Ten more men from various parts of Ontario were arrested by the end of the day.

Minden vet not taking part in Saturday's rabies clinic

by GREG HOEKSTRA
Times Staff

This coming Saturday, low-cost rabies vaccinations will be held at clinics in Haliburton and Wilberforce, but Dr. Carol Sanio, new owner of the Minden Animal Hospital, has decided that her facility won't be taking part in the annual initiative.

Sanio, who took the reins at the hospital earlier this summer, says her disapproval of low-cost clinics is not an uncommon one amongst veterinarians. In fact,

she says, very few vets across Ontario still take part in such clinics, and the Ontario Veterinary Medical Association denounces the practice.

There are several reasons why low-cost clinics are no longer common practice, says Sanio. The primary reason is that at such clinics animals are not given a physical examination, which is generally common practice before any vaccination.

In addition to that, Sanio says that the rabies vaccine is not needed on an annual basis, but

instead every three years. However, by holding an annual event designated to rabies vaccinations, Sanio says many community members may be given the impression that an annual shot is the norm.

"I think annual clinics mislead the public into thinking they have to go," she says. "People just think it's a community event, and everyone with an animal is supposed to be there."

Despite the fact that the clinics are considered "low-cost", Sanio

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Clinics not the best way to fight rabies: vet

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says the typical price of a vaccine is relatively the same. The reason why pet owners are saving money at these clinics is because the formal physical evaluation is being side-stepped, and that's arguably one of the most important stages, she says.

There are many reasons why an animal should not receive a vaccine, but without an evaluation those reasons may never come to light. For example, animals that are pregnant, are too young, have a concurrent illness, or are taking certain medications all should not receive vaccinations.

Sanio says her refusal to take part in the annual clinic is not due to a lack of community spirit, nor because she doesn't believe rabies is a pressing concern. Rather than invest time and money in to low-cost rabies clinics, she says the region would be better off employing strategies such as live baiting, where pieces of meat with oral vaccine are distributed in wildlife areas.

"From a scientific perspective, nobody can argue a low-cost rabies clinic is beneficial," she says. "Instead I think we'd be better off stressing education for the public."

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Outdoor heritage day in the works

Goal is to educate non-hunters about the sport's value

by BRYN WEESE
Times Staff

A government-sanctioned outdoor heritage day, celebrating the past, present and future of hunting, fishing and trapping in Ontario, is in the works and could be inaugurated as early as this time next year, says the Chairman of the Fish and Wildlife Heritage Commission, Vaughn Collins.

At the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association annual general meeting at the association's fish hatchery on Sunday, Collins said that is one of commission's tangible goals. It aims not only to recognize the legacy of outdoor pursuits, but also to inform the non-hunting and fishing public about the activities.

"If we can get people to understand what we do, then we can engage them," he said. "If we can inform the non-hunting and non-fishing public about our heritage, then hopefully they will come to value it."

The Fish and Wildlife Heritage Commission, was established in 2002 after the passing in the Ontario Legislature of the Heritage Hunting and Fishing Act, which proclaimed that hunting and fishing was a right.

The commission's mandate is simple, much like the two-page act from which it was spawned. Primarily the commission seeks to promote and encourage hunting and fishing activities and opportunities in the province and advises the Ministry of Natural Resources how to spend the nearly \$70 million collected annually from the sale of hunting and fishing licenses to promote that end.

The volunteer commission, which meets four times a year for extended periods of time, has eight members from across the province. Collins hails from near Orillia.

Collins said that, as an advisory board to the MNR, it was difficult for him to discuss openly all the recommendations of the commission. However, he did tell the HHOA members about a few recent successes.

The commission supported the Sunday gun hunting initiative and continues to do so around the province. Not only does it increase hunting opportunities, he said, it also helps control wildlife populations that are growing too large.

Also, Collins mentioned the commission's outdoor heritage proposal, a framework for celebration and recognition of hunting and fishing's heritage in the province.

Other ideas being touted by the commission, Collins said, was the requirement of outdoor cards for non-resident hunters and fishermen, just as they are currently required for residents.

Considering it costs only \$6 to create and mail a three-year outdoor card, requiring non-residents to use them would generate income because they are purchased for considerably more than that. Also, the information gathered from non-residents for their cards could be used to better direct tourism marketing.

Collins also said that the commission would soon be taking a look at the accredited outdoor education programs that have been developed by some Ontario high schools.

He said that they are a tremendous asset to promoting outdoor activities, not just hunting and fishing, but trapping, environmental stewardship, biology as well as practical skills such as chainsawing and outdoor survival.

"We want to promote these programs to the Ministry of Education," he said. "It's not only important for kids here [in Haliburton County] to have access to those programs, but wouldn't it be great if you could take an outdoor education program in Scarborough?"

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Today's teenagers were born years after Terry Fox died. Yet that doesn't stop the students at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School from feeling deeply tied to the young Canadian who attempted to run across Canada to raise money for cancer

research. This Friday marks the 10th time HHSS has held its own Terry Fox Run. Among those taking part will be Dillon Holmes, Lauren Penman, Jake Findeis, Billy Kulas and Josh Townsend.

Terry Fox's heroism still resonates with teens decades after the Marathon of Hope

by MARTHA PERKINS
Times Staff

Billy Kulas is one of the burly young men on the Red Hawk football team, which spends its autumn afternoons going through practice drills on the field beside the high school.

"We run 12 40-yard sprints at practice and we're done," the Grade 12 student says.

Then he pauses. "I can't imagine doing what Terry Fox did."

"It's absolutely phenomenal that he could run a marathon a day and still have enough drive to try to run across Canada," agrees his football teammate Dillon Holmes.

Even though Terry Fox died several years before today's teenagers were even born, his name still instills a sense of awe and reverence. His story is as fresh and real today as it was when the one-legged cancer survivor began his Marathon of Hope 26 years ago.

"He was a believer," says Dillon who, along with at least half the school's population, will be taking part in Friday's Terry Fox Run. In fact, students from across the province will be joining forces to raise money for cancer research on September 29.

This is the 10th year that Haliburton Highlands Secondary School has held its

own event, joined a few years ago by the students at J. Douglas Hodgson Elementary School. All told, the students and their sponsors have raised a total of \$45,000 for the Canadian Cancer Society.

"The students understand it's a great cause and everyone's probably had an experience with cancer," says teacher Bruce Griffiths when asked why the Terry Fox story resonates so strongly with today's teens. "We've never had 100 per cent involvement but that's our goal."

Hal High has a strong history of altruism. In January 2005 students raised the most money for the Boxing Day tsunami relief fund than any other school in Trillium Lakelands District School Board. In just one week, students and staff contributed a whopping \$7,000.

"Twenty dollars a day was coming out of my pocket," remembers Lauren Penman, whose usual desire to spend money on clothes was superseded by the much larger need halfway around the world. "It makes you feel amazing [to help] but then you realize who cares about what you feel; it's about what we're doing."

She says some of the inspiration to get involved comes from the top. "We have a good school," she says, "with an awesome principal and amazing teachers."

Jake Findeis says garnering pledges for the Terry Fox Run is not difficult because it is so well established. When you

approach neighbours or friends for donations, you just have to say the three magic words.

Quoting principal Gary Brohman, Jake says that one-third of the students will get involved in everything, one third will question and one third will ask why they have to care.

Billy says that when teenagers tell him that they don't care about Terry Fox, he asks them to think about what they've said. He explains what Terry did and the enormous physical sacrifice it involved.

"When I hear Terry Fox's name," Billy says, "I think of all the people who have cancer so why not go out and find help for a cure."

For Lauren, getting involved with the Terry Fox Run – she and Jake are also co-captains of the student council – is a way of trying to make a difference in the world.

"Too many people don't aspire to what they want to do anymore," she says. "We're being told it's our generation who has to change the world. You start to think, 'What can I do and how well can I do it?'"

If you'd like to help these students change the odds in favour of people with cancer, pledges are always welcome. You can send cheques, payable to HHSS and earmarked for the Terry Fox Run, to HHSS, Box 390, Haliburton, Ont., K0M 1S0.

Candidates have until this Friday to file papers

The deadline for filing nomination papers for the November 13 municipal elections is this Friday, September 29.

Candidates also have until Friday to withdraw their nominations.

The term of council is now a four-year term that begins December 1.

This is a list of people who have already filed in Minden Hills.

Reeve (at large): Jim McMahon, Wally Dove, Wende Plante

Deputy Reeve (at large): Cheyl Murdoch

Councillor at Large: Peter Oyler
Councillor Ward 1, two to be elected: Clayton Cameron, Ron Nesbitt, Bill Obee, Larry Bullington, Lou Trepanier, Diane M. Wigley, Lisa Schell

Councillor Ward 2: Barbara Reid, Ingram Wessell, Pam Sayne, Albert Foster

Councillor Ward 3: Rick Ratcliffe

This is a list of people who have already filed in Algonquin Highlands. Council will choose the deputy reeve from among those who are elected as councillor.

Reeve (at large): Eleanor Harrison
Ward 1 (Dorset): Don Shortreed
Ward 2 (Stanhope), two to be elected: Ross Daniels, Tom Gardner, Carol Moffatt
Ward 3: Sherborne: Diane Griffin

Trillium Lakelands District School Board has one trustee from Haliburton County.

So far, incumbent Valerie Smith is the only person to declare her interest in the seat.

Tactical and canine units from OPP units across the province converged west of Carnarvon on Hwy. 118 to look for for the suspects who fled into the bush when they came across OPP officers who were already on the scene. The police had been there to confiscate marijuana growing on what is believed to be Crown land.



Greg Hoekstra/TIMES

Suspects flee into bush; total of 20 charged

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"Obviously it became a lot more serious at that point, so members of our tactical rescue unit and canine unit were called in," said Const. Ted Smith of the

Bracebridge OPP detachment. "It's actually very scary, because the officers who were on scene were actually outnumbered initially."

With the assistance of the tactical unit and central region canine unit, responding

from as far as Nottawasaga, Lindsay, Bracebridge, and Haliburton, two more suspects were apprehended hours after the initial encounter. The first was found around 3:30 p.m. and the second was discovered two hours later, around 5:30 p.m.. As night fell, officers were still on scene scouring the woods for who they believed to be the twelfth and final suspect.

By the end of the night, the police had found and arrested a total of 20 men. They were all charged with possession of marijuana for the purpose of trafficking. They range in age from 24 to 36 and are from Scarborough, Peterborough, Brampton, Markham and Toronto. More charges are expected.

The marijuana seized from the vehicles weighed 1,500 pound and police were

still on the scene Tuesday to continue with the eradication of the crop. The marijuana was being cut before being taken by truck to another location where it will be disposed of.

Also seen at Pioneer gas station in Minden, across from the Minden OPP detachment, were a seized SUV, mini-van, cargo van and a fourth vehicle.

The incident occurred approximately 15 kilometres east of Carnarvon on Highway 118, in the Minden Hills township just east of the Muskoka border. The marijuana field was discovered in heavily-forested area that police believed to be Crown land.

Officers could not initially estimate just how much pot was being grown in the

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Body armour and guns turn search into 'dangerous business'

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area, but the number of harvesters and the weapons seized indicates that this was certainly more than a nickel-and-dime operation. It also underlines just how seriously marijuana harvesters take their business, said Constable Smith.

"It shows the dangers of these marijuana grow operations and what these people are willing to do to harvest their grow. I mean, they're carrying loaded firearms and wearing body armour. It's a very serious situation," he said.

"Everybody thinks 'Oh, this is just dope,' but the reality is that this is what it's all about. It's big business, it's dangerous business, and these suspects come armed and ready."

Throughout the search Highway 118 remained open, as it is the sole thoroughfare from Highway 11 to Highway 35, said Smith. As night fell, officers began stopping all vehicles passing through to ask if they had encountered any hitchhikers in their travels and to warn them that a potentially armed suspect was on the loose.

Police continue to ask that anyone traveling in the area not pick up any hitchhikers. If anyone further information regarding this incident, they are asked to contact the OPP immediately.

Acting on tips from the public and aerial surveillance, the OPP's marijuana eradication program aims to remove and dispose of pot plants before the growers can harvest them and circulate the drugs on the streets. In this case, officers managed to kill two birds with one stone, when the harvesters literally drove right up to them.

Officers from the Haliburton Highlands Detachment would like to remind the public that with the fall season comes the harvesting of illegal marijuana grow operations. The public is reminded that they can call the police to report any suspicious person(s) or vehicles.

People who suspect an illegal marijuana grow operation is in their area should not investigate themselves and should contact the police. Members of the public wishing to remain anonymous can call Crime Stopper at 1-800-310-1122.



Motorists on Hwy. 118 on Monday night were stopped and asked if they had seen any hitchhikers in the area. Police remained in the area the next day to continue clearing the marijuana grow operation.



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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Row, row, row your boat

WOULDNT WE ALL LIKE TO KNOW what the pot-growers were smoking when they decided that a row boat was their best bet to evade police, who were equipped with dozens of men, dogs and...a helicopter.

To be sure, yesterday's grow-op bust near Carnarvon is by no means a laughing matter.

Not only does it highlight the real dangers that exist within the borders of our peaceful communities but it also shows the OPP's determination to catch their man, regardless of what resources are needed. The helicopters, the camouflage, the snipers and the dogs are all part of an infrastructure that will yield at nothing to enforce the law, nab the bad guys and, ultimately, keep us safe.

We have been told before that marijuana grow-operations do exist in our area and beyond the booby-traps that are sometimes laid, there are also the growers themselves, sometimes armed, who patrol these sites.

Often, given the relative tranquility of life in the highlands, it is easy to forget the sage advice of the police who warn us to keep our eyes open and report any suspicious activity. But with episodes such as yesterday's, we must all remember that criminals and crime that seem so far away can, in fact, rear their ugly heads here too from time to time.

Whether or not these 20 men charged are guilty of growing pot, harvesting pot or selling pot is moot. They are guilty of being stupid. Stupid for growing such an enormous amount of pot, stupid for carrying loaded handguns, stupid for evading police and stupid for thinking they would get away with it.

Bryn Weese

Caring for pets

For those of us who put the necessary thought and care into our pets and their wellbeing, Dr. Carol Sanio makes a very valid point - rabies shots are just one part of a preventative treatment regimen that is vital to the longevity of our dear pets.

While all the shots, pills, lotions and x-rays necessary do cost money, no decision to get a family pet should be taken lightly and the entire cost of adding a new member to a household should be understood before the pet comes home.

However, there are those who have a pet and do not have the available funds to pay for its entire medical needs. For them, a low-cost rabies shot at least prevents the animal from spreading the disease, which is one less thing to worry about from a vet's perspective no doubt.

The fact that many so called family pets live their entire lives chained up outside is a testament to the fact that not all the pets in the county are the envy of their peers when it comes to being spoiled.

At least if they're not infected with rabies when they finally run away, it gives the rest of us, those who do care and spend a great deal on their pet's health, some peace of mind.

Bryn Weese



IMAGES OF THE HIGHLANDS

At the barn

Photo by Casey Lessard

TOTHEEDITOR

Times readers write

S is for Stolen

To the Editor:

My father told me that during the thirties, streetcars in Toronto had lights in open fixtures down the length of the car.

Anyone could reach up and unscrew the bulb; thefts were frequent. To deter this loss, the TTC bought light bulbs with "Stolen from the TTC" clearly printed on them.

I would suggest that similar words be not just painted on the county's 911 signs but stamped right into the metal. The words could be unobtrusively small and next to invisible when viewed from a vehicle but clearly visible when mounted on a rec room wall.

My father never did explain how he knew about the words on a TTC light bulb.

Peter Charters
White Lake

Reeve applauded

To the Editor:

In my letter, published September 20, 2006, I was remiss in not mentioning that Reeve Jim McMahon attended the Branch 636 Cemetery Decoration Service. In fact, he was the only elected representative, local, provincial or federal, to do so.

I hope that many Minden Hills residents will follow his example and join us in remembrance at the County Cairn on November 5.

Malcolm MacLean
President, Minden Legion Branch 636

A good man

To the Editor:

Thank you and congratulations for your extensive coverage of the life of Gord Monk. He was a good friend and a good person and richly deserving of our love and thanks and of such recognition.

Dwight Thomas,
Minden

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IN OTHER WORDS

Columns and Letters to the Editor

UDS, the silent self-esteem killer

YESTERDAY, and not for the first time, I had this strange feeling. Everything seemed slightly off kilter, as if there was a great disturbance in the force.

The sensation was almost palpable and it nagged me for the entire day. At first I thought it just might be the realization that winter would soon be here. Then it occurred to me that perhaps I was just being overwhelmed by the glory of autumn. I ruled out male menopause. I knew it wasn't that.

No, it turned out to be something far more insidious. At 9 p.m., a random check revealed that my underwear was on backwards and had been all day. Suddenly, it all made sense.

Please understand that I am not proud of this. But neither am I ashamed of it. The truth is this sort of thing happens to innocent people just like you and me every day.

Sadly, however, the media has chosen to ignore the existence of this condition - until now.

Like it or not, I believe it's my job as a journalist to shed some light on

Underwear Disorientation Syndrome (UDS). Perhaps, by doing so, I might help alleviate the stigma, discomfort, and suffering felt by those of you who, through no fault of your own, are wearing your underwear backwards even as you read this column.

First, it's time to educate.

UDS is the silent self-esteem killer. It has nothing to do with personal hygiene, the food you are eating, or the places where you do your laundry. Nor is it contagious. You can change your underwear right beside someone suffering from this disorder and never expect to feel its awkward, embarrassing effects. My wife, for instance, has, to my knowledge, never worn her underwear backwards.

You cannot tell a UDS sufferer from those unaffected by the disorder, even if the panty lines are glaringly obvious. Nor can you tell by the way he walks.

Despite suffering from chronic bouts of UDS, I have managed to live a relatively normal life - many of us do.

And yet I cannot help but feel sad when I reflect upon the fact that no research or support groups (no pun intended) are available.

As you might well imagine, it's not easy living with this disorder. There are days when I feel like I am walking backwards or being given a perpetual wedge. But there are good days too. Days when I know that I'm in remission; days when I'm dressed right, or sometimes left.

Right now, you're probably wondering how you can

help.

Rest assured, people like me are not looking for special privileges or treatment. Obviously, on the bad days we'd prefer to use a stall rather than a urinal, but aside from that, all we ask for is a little understanding in the locker room or doctor's office.



BEYOND35

Steve Galea

Of brain worms and fall colours

IT IS SAID that the paper blueprints for building the World War Two battleship USS Missouri weighed 18 tons.

If the plans for something as simple as a mere battleship were that weighty, imagine the tonnage of Father Nature's designs for Sapsucker Ridge.

The life of the Ridge is built on a foundation of genetic instructions almost unimaginable in their intricacy.

In his wonderful book, *Algonquin Wildlife: Lessons in Survival*, Norm Quinn gives us samples of that complexity in language that is not perplexing.

Quinn retired to his Bancroft home last year after more than 20 years as park biologist at Algonquin Park. The job gave him oversight of the 30 or so research projects undertaken each year at the Park's Wildlife Research Station.

He contends that more wildlife research has been done there than in any other park in the world. His book is full of discoveries and explanations, none more fascinating than that of the brain worm that kills moose.

It is this worm that makes deer and moose incompatible and probably infected the moose that turned up dead across the road from Sapsucker Ridge when the snows left this spring.

The moose was stretched out on its

side, its head twisted at a grotesque angle, which is a precise symptom of death caused by the worm, *paraphosphostomylus tenuis*.

Death for the moose came at the end of an incredible journey by the brain worm, a creature without anything that we identify as intelligence and yet it had to follow a detailed program exactly to get to the killing part of its life.

Adult brain worms are at home in the craniums of both deer and moose, but they only kill moose. At home in the deer's brain, they lay eggs that travel through its circulatory system via its heart into its lungs, where they hatch into tiny larvae.

From there, they travel up the deer's windpipe to its throat, are swallowed and leave the deer at its other end in its droppings.

Snails or slugs gobble up the minute larvae as they dine on the droppings on the forest floor, then perch on a bit of vegetation where they may be eaten by a browsing deer or moose.

Inside their new host, they travel

through its stomach and somehow find their way to the spine, which they follow to the brain, becoming adults along the way and preparing to lay their eggs.

Their invasion provokes an immune response by white blood cells.

The deer survives the confrontation but the immune response, not the worm itself, so damages the moose's nervous tissues that it is doomed.

There are less grisly stories in the book than the brain worm's tale. Quinn tells of discoveries in Algonquin of both diversity and specialization.

For diversity, there is the scientist who started counting the species of flies along a short

stretch of one lakeshore and found 600 different kinds of flies on that little plot of land.

For specialization, there is a kind of blackfly that dines only on the blood of loons and the antler fly, both noticed for the first time in the Park.

Antler flies live out their lives on or around moose antlers. Males fight ferocious battles for mates on the upper side of the antler, then retreat to the underside

to romance them; their larvae crawl through cracks in the antlers and live there.

Quinn's explanation of our fall colours is the most understandable I have ever read.

Most of us know that leaves lose their green colour in the fall when they stop producing chlorophyll. Yellows and oranges, which have been in the background all along, take over on most trees. They come from a class of pigments called carotenoids.

But maples are another story; it is anthocyanins that paint their leaves red and serve as a kind of anti-freeze.

In all species, a prelude to leaf drop is the tree's retrieval of nutrients from the leaves. Phosphate inhibits the formation of the maple's anthocyanins; its departure lets the anthocyanins take over.

Their red pigment may please us, but their real job is to keep the leaves going for a few more days after the first hard frost so that the tree can continue making its withdrawals.

If you want to know the state of our leaves, you could check an Ontario government website and find out that on Monday coverage was only 50 per cent in Minden but at its peak in the Park.

Or, you could look out your window.



BACK OF BEYOND

Neil Campbell

Democratic renewal needs young people

DURING THE LAST FEDERAL election I was asked on numerous occasions "What can we do to get more young people to vote?"

This question was a response to media reports that suggested that turnout for those less than 30 years of age in the 2004 election was less than 30 per cent. I think we can do better.

BARRY DEVOLIN

Member of Parliament

In response, I promised that (if re-elected) I would reach out to voters in their teens and twenties in an effort to identify constructive ideas to bring these young people into the democratic process.

This past spring you may have noticed a pamphlet in your mailbox that outlined a process aimed at democratic renewal.

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Leadership campaign an exciting time

A LEADERSHIP CONTEST is historically a time when a political party is forced to evaluate its priorities and its real core beliefs. I am very excited with the caliber of individuals such as Michael Ignatieff, Stéphane Dion, Gerard Kennedy and Ken Dryden who have put their name forward with the hope of leading the Liberal Party of

Canada and our great nation.

The new Conservative Party was formed from a similar contest with its

morality being greatly influenced by the philosophies of the old Reform Party. While at times this is very unsettling to

those involved, it can be a very cleansing exercise for the electorate, a process that can be

ANOTHER VIEW

Liberal Greg Walling

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Liberal party is a big tent that needs committed leader

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extremely enlightening to the true objectives of the political party.

For members of the Liberal Party, the differences of opinion between the potential leaders show the true strength and challenge of the modern-day Liberal. To put it simply, our challenge is that our "tent" is big. To be a Liberal is to have the highest respect for an individual's rights and freedoms and a heartfelt passion for social justice for all. However, we have very diverse views on economic fiscal matters, foreign policy and how involved the federal government should participate in education, healthcare and municipal infrastructure to name a few. To be a leader of people with such diverse views and yet give them a beacon to unite

behind needs vision and commitment. The contest is not so much with their fellow leadership candidates. It is the daily public evaluation and maturation that is needed to rally such a big "tent". It can be done; great past Liberal leaders such as Laurier, Pearson, and Trudeau are the yardsticks constantly compared to. Surely this must be intimidating even for the most self-confident among them.

Like many interested voters I watch with the knowledge that one of these individuals will have the courage and heart to follow the precedent of nation builders. The front runners are truly impressive orators and thinkers, many with a solid history of successful public service. The next two months will be very interesting and like many Canadians, I will look for real leadership and a candidate whom I believe

will make a difference.

Locally, we will be participating in this process. All current members of the party have the opportunity to participate in three ways: a) to put their name forth to be elected as a voting delegate; b) to vote in the delegate selection process; and c) to vote for which leader would be of preference. The delegates selected represent the wishes of the membership of the riding association on the first ballot. Subsequent ballots the delegate can vote his or her conscience. Truly this process reaches out to the grassroots of the organization and in a very democratic fashion encourages broad participation.

We enter a time in our country of new challenge; a shrinking skilled work force, an aging population, new technologies being developed at light speed, a world

with free trade and terrorist threats. These are all issues with no set playbook. To continue to thrive as a country, it will be as important to define ourselves to the world as to how we manage our domestic affairs and what role we will play in the betterment of society around us.

Liberal leaders make great Prime Ministers, and so the role of selecting a new leader in this ever-changing world is more important than ever. Let's hope the contest continues to focus on core beliefs and real vision so that it makes the "tent" prepared for the future and welcoming to all Canadians.

Greg Walling was this riding's Liberal candidate in the last federal election and plans to run again in the next federal election.

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Over the past 30 years, Ontario has made significant gains in seat belt compliance. As a result, many lives have been saved and serious injuries were prevented; however, there are still far too many deaths as a result of non-seat belt use. On average, over a three-year period, 24 per cent of all people killed in a motor vehicle collision were not wearing their seat belt. This adds up to 115 people in 2004, 116 in 2005 and 69 so far this year.

Wearing a seat belt is a decision that can impact not only you but also your loved ones. The O.P.P. urges you to base your decision not only on the risks to your own safety, but also the safety of all occupants of the motor vehicle.

Last year during the campaign officers from the Haliburton Highlands OPP Detachment stopped 1,780 vehicles and laid 12 charges in relation to seatbelt violations.

Election reform debate continues

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This provided a brief overview of several issues that are key to the debate. But most importantly, I wanted to hear your ideas. That is why the document included a questionnaire where you could provide your comments and suggestions.

The response was unbelievable! We received roughly 1,000 completed forms from residents of all ages expressing their views on this important topic. However, the unfortunate part of all of this is that less than 20 responses were from those under the age of 25.

While I thank all that responded, this effort shows that we need to do more to attract young people to get involved in the political process.

To that end, I will continue with the second step in the four-step process and hold a non-partisan session this fall where guest lecturers will discuss such issues as political repetition, fixed election dates, the senate and voting technology.

During that session, I'll complete the third step and ask attendees to complete a detailed questionnaire based on the material presented and ask participants to offer their suggestions for change.

Finally, feedback from both questionnaires will be

compiled and I will use this information to table a summary document in the House of Commons.

This initiative is not only a priority for me, but also of our government. You may recall that earlier this year Prime Minister Stephen Harper reminded Canadians that he intends to move forward on democratic reform and will propose fixed election dates for the House of Commons. The government has also served notice it intends to propose reforms to the Senate. The Prime Minister announced that the government will introduce a bill calling for fixed election dates every four years. This bill will propose the next election take place in the fall of 2009.

The Prime Minister also pledged to make the Senate a more modern and democratic institution to better reflect the voice of Canada's regions. As many of you know, I believe that a 21st century legislature cannot remain dominated by appointees who may sit for decades without a democratic mandate and have the ability to alter the laws that have been democratically created by the elected members of the House of Commons.

I look forward to a healthy discussion locally, and I am confident our final report will make a worthwhile contribution to the national debate on democratic renewal.

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Newcomers take on experienced candidates

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elected, he would be a greenhorn at the table. In 2003, he ran unsuccessfully against Cheryl Murdoch as Councillor at Large, garnering almost 1,000 votes.

A teacher of martial arts and a former Ford employee who retired in 2000, Nesbitt decided to run again because he would like to spend his retirement years, with many to come, working to make the township better.

"I'm going to be here for a while," he says. "My family lives into their 80s and 90s, and I'm only 59 and I figure I can make a better Minden."

Like Cameron, Bill Obee is also an experienced politician who has sat on Minden Hills council before. First appointed in 1997 after the passing of Sinclair Nesbitt, Obee was elected as Ward 1 councillor along with Peter Oyler in the first Minden Hills council. In 2003, Obee lost by 20 votes to Cameron and Oyler.

"I have the time, I have the experience and I have the knowledge because I've been involved in municipal politics in one way or the other for 30 years," he says. "Minden Hills has been good to us, and I have something to contribute."

Obee first came to the area as an engineer for the county, a job he held for 16 years before retiring in the 1990s. Since then, the self-professed "full-time volunteer" has become involved with, among other things, the Minden

Rotary Club, the Minden Food Bank, and the local Cancer Society.

Larry Bullington, is not only a newcomer to the municipal election scene, he is also a relative newcomer to Canada. Having worked for Bell South for 32 years in Atlanta, Georgia, Bullington moved to Minden in 2000 and took his oath of citizenship in November of last year.

A seasonal employee at Home Hardware, Bullington decided to get involved in local politics because, being from Georgia, he has a different perspective to share.

"I want to bring some new ideas to council," he says. "I'm looking forward to the race."

Lou Trepanier, a retired businessman of all trades, last ran for council as deputy reeve against Bill Davis in Dysart in 2003. But, having owned property on County Road 121 for many years and now living in Hunter Creek Estates, Trepanier set his sights on Minden Hills a few years ago.

Having served recently as the chair of the county's waste management advisory committee, Trepanier stepped down in 2004 because he knew he wanted to run for council. What he didn't expect was that so many others would also run in the same race.

"It's a mind-boggling situation as to why everybody wants to run in Ward 1 because we have other wards that nobody's running in against the incumbent," he says.

"The votes are going to be spread so many ways in Ward 1, the people that do get in are going to get in by a very slim margin."

Diane Wigley, a relative newcomer to Minden Hills, believes that being actively involved in the community is important for anyone who wants to publicly comment on how the town is run. For Wigley, running in the municipal election is a first step for her to be an active community member.

"I purchased my house here in Minden two years ago and now I want to share some of my knowledge and share some of my experiences," she said.

Wigley says she has ample experience in political campaigns, though this is her first time as a candidate. Previously, she says, she worked behind the scenes campaigning.

The most recent candidate to throw their hat into the Ward 1 ring is Lisa Schell, wife of the township's fire chief Doug Schell.

Schell says she doesn't want to be linked to her husband during the campaign and that there are current members of council as well as other candidates whose spouses work for the township. She says that her motives for filing nomination papers was to give back to the community that has been so good to her.

"I take pride in the fact that I live in Minden Hills and would like the opportunity to represent the community I love," she says. "I think I've lived here long enough that most people know who I am and what I'm about."

Schell is the fourth generation of her family to be born in Minden and, while she is entering politics for the first time this year, she says she looks forward to the support from the community. She is a bit apprehensive the all-candidates meeting on October 20.

"I'm a bit nervous, if only because I've never done it before."

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Rudy Faber of Bowmanville was shopping for Westerns, wildlife and car books at the Minden Cultural Centre fabric and book sale Saturday. Faber has a cottage at Minden Lake. "Just looking around and seeing what was here," he said. Proceeds from the sale went to the Minden Hills Museum and the Haliburton Highlands Genealogy Group.

Casey Lessard/TIMES



Algonquin Highlands becomes 'lame duck' council

by BRYN WEESE
Times Staff

The September 21 meeting was the last of being a free-wheeling council. Because of the upcoming election in November, council has now become a "lame duck," meaning they can only approve budgeted expenditures, or unbudgeted ones that do not exceed \$50,000.

Also, as laid out in section 275 of the Municipal Act, council cannot hire or fire employees during this time.

In the event that all candidates are acclaimed, or that 75 per cent of incumbents are re-elected, there is no lame

duck government period. However, since both Councillors Kerry Lock and Jim Hicks are not seeking re-election, Algonquin Highlands council would have only avoided the lame duck status if none of the five seats are contested. However, there are now three people running for the two Ward 2 seats.

Given that council will likely lose the ability to hire staff from September 29 to December 5, when the new municipal councils are appointed, Lorne Mitchell, the township's CAO, has been given the power to hire new staff. Specifically, the township is currently looking to fill an operator position.

NOTICES



For the Health of the Highlands

WINTER MAINTENANCE Request for Quotations

The Haliburton Highlands Health Services (HHHS) is inviting quotations for snow removal at the Haliburton and Minden Hospital sites. Specifications may be picked up at the Minden Hospital / Hyland Crest Business Office, or Haliburton Hospital Business Office, or can be faxed to you by calling 457-4508.

Quotations due by October 27, 2006.



COUNTY OF HALIBURTON LAND DIVISION COMMITTEE

NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 53(5)(a) of the *Planning Act* and Section 3, O.Reg. 197/96, as amended, that the following Applications for Consent have been submitted to the Haliburton County Land Division Committee, the consent granting authority in these matters.

AND FURTHER THAT at its meeting to be held **Monday October 16th, 2006 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Administration Building, County of Haliburton Office, 11 Newcastle Street, Minden, Ontario, these Applications for Consent will be heard by the Land Division Committee:

- File No. H-074/06
Applicant: Barbara OLDREIVE
Location of the Property: Pt Lot 6, Concession 8, Geographic Township of Minden
Nature of the Application: New Lot
- File No. H-075/06
Applicant: 2011496 ONTARIO INC.
Location of the Property: Pt Lot 3, Concession A, Geographic Township of Minden
Nature of the Application: New Lot & Right-of-way
- File No. H-084/06
Applicant: Sharon CLARK & Jane JOHNSON
Location of the Property: Pt Lot 3, Concession 6, Geographic Township of Minden
Nature of the Application: Right-of-way
- File No. H-092/06
Applicant: 1254609 ONTARIO LTD.
Location of the Property: Pt Lot 16, Concession 8, Geographic Township of Dysart
Nature of the Application: Right-of-way
- File No. H-096/06 & H-097/06
Applicant: Joyce BAIN & Shelley VANLIESHOUT
Location of the Property: Pt Lots 24 & 25, Concession 3, Geographic Township of Guilford
Nature of the Application: Lot additions
- File No. H-098/06
Applicant: 740484 ONTARIO INC.
Location of the Property: Pt Lot 13, Concession 9, Geographic Township of Dysart
Nature of the Application: Right-of-way
- File No. H-099/06
Applicant: Kim EMMERSON & Greg BISHOP
Location of the Property: Pt Lots 19 & 20, Concession 8, Geographic Township of Dysart
Nature of the Application: Lot Addition

Additional information regarding any of the above-noted applications is available for public inspection at the Land Division Office by appointment during regular business hours, Monday to Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

If a person or public body that files an appeal of a decision of the Land Division Committee in respect of the proposed consent does not make written submissions to the Land Division Committee before it gives or refuses to give a provisional consent, the Ontario Municipal Board may dismiss the appeal.

If you wish to be notified of the decision of the Land Division Committee in respect of the proposed consent, you must make a written request to the undersigned.

Dated at the Township of Minden Hills this 27th day of September, 2006.

Jane M. Tousaw, A.M.C.T.
Development Services Coordinator/Planner
County of Haliburton
11 Newcastle Street
P. O. Box 399
Minden, Ontario K0M 2K0
Telephone: (705) 286-1333 or
1-866-886-8815, Ext. 222
Fax: (705) 286-4829



NOTICE OF ADDITIONAL CONSULTATION TOWNSHIP OF ALGONQUIN HIGHLANDS WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN

The Township of Algonquin Highlands invites interested parties to contact Cambium Environmental Inc. for additional information or to submit comments or inquiries with respect to the Algonquin Highlands Waste Management Plan.

Information regarding the Township of Algonquin Highlands Waste Management Plan is available on the Township's web site: www.algonquinhighlands.ca

Comments and inquiries may be directed to Cambium Environmental as follows

October 1, 2006
through
October 31, 2006

Toll Free: (866) 217-7900
Fax: (705) 742-7907
Email: info@cambium-env.com



The purpose of this additional consultation is to allow members of the public and other interested parties to submit comments and inquiries regarding the development of the Township of Algonquin Highlands Waste Management Plan, which was initiated in 2003 to establish a long-term waste management strategy for the Township. The waste management planning process is governed by the Ontario Ministry of Environment, through the Environmental Assessment Act.

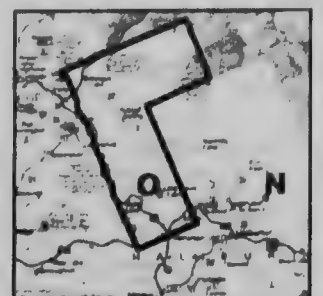
The Public Consultation Event held in July 2006 was intended to review the work completed to date as a result of the completion of detailed work studies. The detailed work studies were conducted in accordance with the Terms of Reference for the Waste Management Plan as approved by the Ministry of the Environment in January 2005.

Public participation is an integral component of this process; therefore, all parties having interest in the Waste Management Plan are encouraged to contact Cambium Environmental to provide comments, information, ideas, and concerns about long-term waste management planning for the Township of Algonquin Highlands.

Dated at the Township of Algonquin Highlands
on the 20th day of September, 2006.
Mr. Lorne Mitchell, CAO

The Township of Algonquin Highlands
North Shore Road, RR#2
Minden Ontario K0M 2K0

Phone: (705) 489-2379
Fax: (705) 489-3491
Email: stanhope@county.haliburton.on.ca





Members' pride

The Agnes Jamieson Gallery in Minden is hosting a members' show from September 27 to October 14. The show will include the Totem from Glen Jewett and Journey Across Maroc by Chris Stender. The gallery will host a closing reception on October 14 from 2 to 4 p.m..

Casey Lessard photos



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Businesses that lost assets due to the storm not covered by insurance are eligible to apply. Loans with deferred interest for five years are available to cover the loss of hard assets, (including inventory) and other storm related costs. Ineligible costs include wages and the loss of revenue.

Applicants will be required to complete the HCDC loan application, provide financial statements, credit checks and verification of non insurance coverage (if available), General Security Agreements and promissory notes are required.

If you would like more information or have questions please contact Andy Campbell at 457-3555 or e-mail: hcdc@halhinet.on.ca.

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 Or call 1-866-804-5446

Ontario



Comradeship on parade

The Minden Legion joined more than 30 other Legions from across the province at Sunday's drumhead service in Haliburton. The event began with a parade down main street and ended with creating an altar out of drums in Head Lake Park.

Photos by
Bryn Weese

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Troy Middlebrooks, Broker of Record for RE/MAX Lake Country Realty Inc. and Owner of RE/MAX Lake Country Realty, RE/MAX Muskoka Realty Corp. and RE/MAX Haliburton Highlands Realty Ltd. is pleased to announce that Montage Real Estate Ltd., of the Wilberforce area in Haliburton County has Merged with our RE/MAX Haliburton Highlands Realty Ltd. office.

Rick Forget (Broker of Record/Owner for Montage Real Estate Ltd., Brokerage) says "It's a win-win situation for everyone". This merger will give RE/MAX a high profile location in Wilberforce, completing the visibility in the County with an office on the east side and will add 2 more agents to the RE/MAX family, one broker and one sales representative with a total of 33 years of experience and an established reputation from a company that has been around for 26 years.

This Merger allows Iona Fevreau and Rick Forget to not only provide the same great service and local knowledge at the same great location as they have done in the past, but now allow us to offer a level of recognition and quality resources that only RE/MAX can provide. Not to mention the "in house" training, available networking and contacts, that is not available to a boutique brokerage like Montage Real Estate Ltd.

The overall package available through this merger will allow Rick and Iona an incredible opportunity to expand their services and representation in the area which will not only be a direct benefit to them but to their present and future clients and customers, as well as providing our growing company with two more highly experienced team members.



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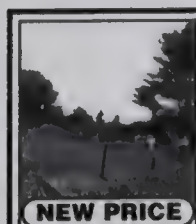
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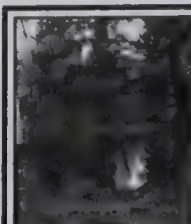


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Tuesday Afternoon League – September 19

Men

High Average: Ken Thompson, 203
High Single: Ken Thompson, 254
High Single HC: Ernie Winterburn, 379
High Triple: Ken Thompson, 695
High Triple HC: Ken Thompson, 785

Women

High Average: Lois Finlay, 165
High Single: Tina Hadley, 184
High Single HC: Tina Hadley, 257
High Triple: Lillian Mattsson, 498
High Triple HC: Eleanor Young, 658

Tuesday Night League – September 19

Men

High Average: Ken Thompson, 213
High Single: Ken Thompson, 256
High Single HC: Justin Burk, 277
High Triple: Justin Burk, 633
High Triple HC: Justin Burk, 765

Women

High Average: Brenda Harding, 184
High Single: Charlotte Burk, 237

High Single HC: Charlotte Burk, 305
High Triple: Brenda Harding, 573
High Triple HC: Charlotte Burk, 751
Wednesday Afternoon League – September 20

Men

High Average: Ken Thompson, 221
High Single: Ken Thompson, 249
High Single HC: John Whitty, 260
High Triple: Ken Thompson, 714
High Triple HC: John Whitty, 696

Women

High Average: Marie Thompson, 188
High Single: Marie Thompson, 215
High Single HC: Betty Ablett, 278
High Triple: Marie Thompson, 556
High Triple HC: Margaret Schefers, 703

Thursday Afternoon League – September 21

Men

High Average: Ken Thompson, 209
High Single: Ken Thompson, 268
High Single HC: Jack March, 282
High Triple: Ken Thompson, 678
High Triple HC: Jack March, 764

Women

High Average: Josie Cheesman, 179
High Single: Beverley Alexander, 216
High Single HC: Josie Cheesman, 253
High Triple: Beverley Alexander, 571
High Triple HC: Beverley Alexander, 733

Get ready for ski season at Sir Sam's Ski Area open house on Oct. 7

Join Sir Sam's Ski Area on Saturday, October 7 for a fun day in preparation for this year's ski season. Visit the Ski Patrol and find out about becoming a member. Check out the Ski Swap and book your lessons at the Ski School. Learn more about group packages and the C.A.D.S Program for challenged skiers. You'll find lots to see and do, with chair lift rides, raffles, refreshments and conversation with hundreds of fellow skiers.

Interested in becoming a patroller? Don't wait for October 7 – call Ross Pawson at 489-3802, e-mail rpawson@halhinet.on.ca, or go to www.kawartha.skipatrol.ca. You won't just become part of a great group that has fun, you'll receive industry-recognized superior First Aid, CPR and AED training, save money on lift tickets, and you will become part of a respected volunteer organization where you will play an important role in promoting safe skiing.

Weather permitting, Sir Sam's will be open on Saturday, December 9 with weekend skiing until December 23 then open daily for two weeks over Christmas. For information about skiing at Sir Sam's, call 754.2298 or go to www.sirsams.com

On October 7, the Ski School will be receiving equipment for the Ski Swap from 10 a.m. to noon, and the Open House, Ski Pass sale, Ski Swap and fun activities begin at noon until 4:00 p.m.



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HHSS Sr. Boys come up short in 14-7 loss to Adam Scott CVI



It took almost the whole Adam Scott team to take down Kieran Gillooly on one of his many running plays.

Photos by Casey Lessard



Josh Townsend tries to receive a pass, above left, but is unsuccessful and a penalty is called on the play in favour of HHSS. The play moves to the 13 yard line, where the Red Hawks fumble on the first down. After the fumble, the Red Hawks recover and make a successful drive for the end zone. Townsend scores a touchdown, above right, by receiving a pass from the 5 yard line.

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We would like to invite all active K-40 and past Kin, Kinettes and their families and friends, to celebrate with us. However, as we do not have all the current addresses, please pass on this information to all past and present Minden members that you know of. Please help us to make this occasion a very special one. Thank you.



Please RSVP by October 7th, 2006
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Oct. 14th, 2006**

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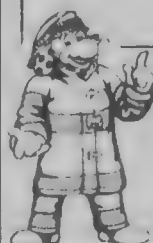
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Museum has record season

Historic log chute remains most popular attraction

Carol Moffatt and the museum volunteers had a busy year and Carol has provided the following updates. The Stanhope Museum had another successful season, with more visitors than last year. Heritage Day was a resounding success with the largest attendance - and the largest revenue - in the four years it's been going.



STANHOPE LIFE

Pauline Johnson
489-3878 bpjohnson@sympatic0.ca

At the museum, the log chute seems to remain the most popular attraction, with most folks visiting both the model and the park. Donations to the project continue and plans are in the works to add some interpretive components to the park to enhance the visitor experience.

Museum volunteers will enjoy the annual Volunteer Luncheon in October, and planning has already begun for next year's Heritage Day. New lighting will be installed in the museum this fall, and discussions are taking place about redesigning the inside of the museum to make better use of what little space there is in our tiny building. The Management Committee is planning a couple of road trips to see how other small museums have dealt with space issues.

The museum was thrilled to receive from Delores Bailey a copy of a photo of William Sawyer who was murdered by the Thompson brothers at Maple Lake in 1897. That story will be featured next season. Please contact us if you have photos we can copy, Stanhope items to donate, if you have any questions about what we do, or if you'd like to

volunteer.

By the way, if you haven't been to our sister museum in Dorset, plan a visit this fall - it's wonderful!

While some sectors of the travel industry might have shown softness in 2006, Little Hawk Resort and Marina seems to be prospering, a fact that has not gone unnoticed. The

growing boutique getaway spot has found itself on the radar of the national media of late, having been profiled in national magazines and newspapers, the latest of which, an August 2006 article, declared Little Hawk Resort "one of the most popular getaway retreats in Haliburton." Most recently, on August 12, Little Hawk Resort and Marina, was profiled in the Toronto Sun as a soaring success - see <http://travel.canoe.ca/Travel/Canada/Ontario/2006/08/09/1726927-sun.html>

Todd Boyd, general manager of the resort, noted, "We added some great staff in 2006. The positive energy they brought to the resort coupled with the significant capital improvements we have done over the years seems to finally be paying dividends."

Little Hawk Resort and Marina is also home to the Wharf Tavern, a popular pub open Thursday to Sunday from May to October and from January to March. Little Hawk and the pub are located just north of Carnarvon off Highway 35, on Little Hawk Lake Road. For more information about the marina, pub or resort, call 705-489-2158 or visit the website at www.littlehawk.ca.

To submit any item of interest to this regular weekly column, please e-mail me at bpjohnson@sympatic0.ca or call (705) 489-3878. Share what you know about what's happening in Stanhope, what Stanhope residents are up to or how you enjoyed a particular event or gathering.



Red, white and not so blue

Grade 10 student Madison Espie shows her true (and school) colours as she cheers the Haliburton Highlands Secondary School teams at last week's football season opening pep rally. All of the school's fall teams were recognized at the rally.

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Also: The Caregivers Support Group meets in Haliburton at Community Care, Thursday, September 28th from 10am to 12pm.

Low-Cost Rabies Vaccination Clinics

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Do you think you can 'Name that tune?'

Legion hosts fun trivia night September 30; car rally is October 1

Thursday found us under beautiful autumn skies at the International Plowing Match held in Peterborough County at Keene. It was a day of firsts. Never before have I stood aboard a huge hay wagon travelling bumpy fields, country roads and highway to the actual I.P.M. site pulled by a giant John Deere tractor.

Our first destination was the horse-drawn plowing. What teamwork between the plowman and his gentle giants working together making those furrows straight and even for the judge's experienced eye. No Fleury walking plows there but a restored Fleury Sulky Plow was found in the heritage tent display.

There too, drawing a fascinated crowd, was Mary from North Gower, Ontario busy knitting wool work socks on an antique sock knitting machine. More guilt for here at the old farmhouse is that same item purchased with every good intention of restoring. The difference is Mary's Canadian-made knitter actually works while mine still rests rusted in its original wooden crate marked Frank & Pope Knitting Machine Co., Bucyrus, Ohio. There is an old saying about the road to Hell being paved with good intentions. At least the Kinmount Fair Pioneer Exhibit is almost a year away, still time to contact Mary, get the sock machine in respectable order and hopefully make at least a slight detour off that path.

The United Church Women of Norland United Church will be hosting a delicious roast beef dinner this coming Saturday, September 30 from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Adults are \$12 with children ages 5 to 11 years \$5 and preschoolers free. This is a great opportunity to have dinner out with family and neighbours while supporting the fundraising efforts of the U.C.W.

Branch 441 Kinmount, Royal Canadian Legion is a "happening" place. In addition to the regular weekly activities on Saturday, September 30, Name That Tune & Trivia Night starts at 5:30 p.m. with a free light buffet, lots of fun and prizes. Registration for the October 1st Car Rally is at 9 a.m. with a start time of 10 a.m. The entry fee is \$20 and lunch is provided.

Municipal elections are extremely important. It is at this local level of government that so many issues directly affecting our daily lives must be decided. The Galway Area Ratepayers Association Inc. will be hosting an all-candidates meeting for those seeking election in Galway, Cavendish and Harvey Township at the Galway Hall on Saturday, September 30 starting at 10 a.m.. With a new four-year term ahead this is a particularly important opportunity for Galway voters to meet the candidates, hear their platforms and bring to their attention matters of con-

cern and priority.

St. Luke's Anglican Church invites everyone to its annual turkey dinner on Saturday, October 7 from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at the Burnt River Community Centre. Admission at the door for adults is

\$12, children \$6 and preschoolers under five years are free.

For a fun outing at a bargain price why not book yourself on the Kinmount Seniors bus trip to Rama

coming up on Thursday, October 12. The bus will leave the Kinmount Legion parking lot at 9 a.m. sharp. Return transportation and lunch are included in the \$5 fee. For more information or to reserve a seat call Theresa at 488-1110 or Mildred at 488-2728.

Now for the Scoring News with your usual reminder to keep busy and well. They go together.

September 19 contract bridge at Stanhope: Grace Smyth and our bridge reporter Ross Fletcher had the afternoon's only Slam. Ev Morgan led the high scores at 5810 followed by Stella McMillan 5610, Vange Croucher 5470 and Diana Spicer 5430. Mary - Ellen Curtis won the lucky draw, Paul Pethick the Shiny Penny and Ev Morgan the T.I.A.M. Award reminding all that this triumph was Twice In A Month.

September 19 euchre at Gelert: Lone hand honours went to George Bartley while Ted Wilkins was a double winner taking high man and the draw. Low man was Rick McElwain while for the ladies Dorothy McElwain was high and Isabelle Saunders low. Thanks to Harold Harvie for this update.

September 19 bid euchre at Minden Legion: Topping the charts was Gala Stamp 309 with our reporter Jean Scadden second at 293 and Marcel Roussel 244 third. Moonshots went to Jean Scadden and Eileen Shapiera with Gala Stamp, Lorne Dinesen, Ida Young and Isobel Cherwenka holding the hidden scores.

September 20 duplicate bridge at Parklane, Haliburton: First in North/South at 65% were Ken Sheppard and Bill Sandford with Jean and John Collins next at 56%. East/West winners at 70% were Margo Davidson and Vange Croucher then Howie Ryan partnered with Bruce Armstrong at 54%.

September 20 Kinmount Seniors euchre at Kinmount Legion: For the ladies Emily Harvie was high and Mildred St. Thomas low while Roger Fournier led the gents and Frank Franzen was low. Mike St. Thomas was a double winner for most lone hands and the draw.

September 20 bid euchre at Stanhope: Helen Henderson, Kevin Maloney [2], Percy Butler, Pearl Cowen, Frank Campagnolo and Chris Clarke all had moonshots. Garth Windsor topped the whites at 302 followed by Chris Clarke 298 and Percy Butler 273 with Marj Coffey leading the pinks at 318 then Barb Robitaille 278 and Verna McDonald 258.

September 21 euchre at Minden Legion: In the lone hands col-

umn it was Eileen Shapiera and Cliff Davison while Vicki Campagnolo and Tom Orr recorded the high scores. Colleen Davison and Bill Van Dyke had the evening's lows while Verna McDonald, Jesse Barlow, John Mallon, Helen Skelding and Bob Pollard won the other prizes.

September 22 duplicate bridge at Echo Hills, Haliburton: Carol McCord and Ross Davies took the honours in North/South at 62% followed by Chuck Wilson and Ross Fletcher at 60%. Over in East/West top spot went to Muriel McIntosh and Mayme Douglas at 67% with Margo Davidson and Jean Collins second at 57%.

September 22 bid euchre at Club 35: Moonshots landed on Lorne Dinesen [2], Pearl Cowen. Vicki Campagnolo and Tom Macartney while Jean Scadden held the hidden score. Vicki led the pinks at 307 then Marion Farr 262 with Pearl Cowen and Marj Coffey tied for third at 231.

First for the whites at 290 was Lorne Dinesen with Peter Farr 250 second and in third at 247 Frank Campagnolo.

September 23 bid euchre at Staanworth Terrace, Minden: Moonshot trio members were Isobel Cherwenka, Marcel Roussel and our reporter Gala Stamp. First for the pinks at 292 was Elli Langpohl with Isobel Cherwenka 265 second and Emily Harvie 246 third. At 286 Pat Bailey led the whites then Tom Grix 276 and Pat Scadden 273 with the draws going to Gala Stamp, Maria Tschida and Dorothy McElwain.

September 25 Kinmount Seniors bid euchre at Kinmount Legion: Jim Corbett took top spot with Mildred St. Thomas second and Isobel Cherwenka third. Moonshots went to Helen Mackey, Thelma Francis, Tom Grix, Isobel Cherwenka and Dana Briscoe with Mildred St. Thomas winning the draw.

September 25 euchre at Staanworth Terrace: Elaine Yeo reports that Gala Stamp won for high hands, Doreen Francis for lone hands, Doreen French for low hands and Perry Peacock for the special prize. There was another good turnout with newcomers always welcome.

September 25 cribbage at Minden Legion: In first place was Vicki Campagnolo with Joe Rivers second and Pat Scadden third. Other prizes went to Joe Rivers, Don Burch and Gwen Cox.

September 25 euchre at Club 35: Jean Dutka held the most lone hands while Tom Grix took home the bologna. High scores ladies/men went to Loretta Lamb and Ron Ward with Marnie Butler and Harry Randell recording the lows. Special prizes were awarded to Ivan Kernohan and Mary Pipher along with Jean and Harry Randell.

September 25 euchre at St. Paul's Friendship Club, Minden: Pearl Cowen and Bill Mosley took the lone hand honours with Jesse Barlow and Gwen Cox taking home special prizes. High scores went to Lois Adamson and Joan Boldt while Lorna Hicks tallied up the low.

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Nominations for Municipal Council and School Board Trustees will close on Friday, November 29th, 2006 at 5:00 p.m.

The Municipal Election will take place on November 13th, 2006. Qualified Electors within the Township of Minden Hills will be casting their ballots by mail-in voting.

During the week of October 16th, 2006, Voter Kits will be mailed to every qualified elector whose name appears on the Voters' List. A voter is only entitled to vote once in a municipality even if the voter has more than one qualifying property address within the municipality.

Qualification of Voters:

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Electors are encouraged to examine the Voters' List to correct any errors or omissions or make deletions from the list on the prescribed forms which are available from the Clerk's Office. The Voter Kit will contain a voting instruction sheet, ballot, voter declaration form, secrecy envelope to enclose their ballot and a return envelope.

Upon receiving the Voters' Kit, the elector will sign their declaration, complete and return the ballot to the Clerk's Office, either through the regular mail or by dropping the ballot package off at the Municipal Office, 7 Milne Street, Minden.

Please be advised that Canada Post is closed Monday, November 13th, 2006 and it is suggested that electors mail in their completed ballot no later than Friday, November 3rd, 2006. After this date, voters are encouraged to deliver their return envelope in person to the Clerk's Office to ensure their ballot is counted.

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- **Sept. 27:** Community Care Haliburton County is once again offering an Aquasize Program to seniors and adults with disabilities. This program will run for 10 weeks and you have a choice of either swimming on a Monday or a Wednesday. Classes began on Mon., Sept. 25 and will run Wed., Sept. 27 at the Wigamog Inn. This is just one of the programs offered through Community Care's Social Recreation Program. Call Ida for more info about the program 457-2941.
- **Sept. 27:** Christ Church (Anglican), Sherwood St., Bobcaygeon is holding a Roast Beef Dinner on Wed. from 4:30 - 7:30 p.m. Tickets may be purchased at Jermyn Lumber, Canal Book Store, Bigley Shoes & Clothing and at the church.
- **Sept. 27-29:** Haliburton-Muskoka Children's Water Festival - From 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Kinark Outdoor Centre. Hundreds of students from the Trillium Lakelands District School Board will be participating in the second annual Haliburton-Muskoka Children's Water Festival. The goal is to shape children's attitudes about the importance of water in their. If you're interested in becoming a Festival sponsor or volunteer, call Kyla Greenham at 457-9664, e-mail: hhoa@on.aibn.com, Website: www.environment-haliburton.ca, www.ontariostewardship.org/Haliburton
- **Sept. 28:** Royal Canadian Legion Branch 129, Haliburton - The Ladies Auxiliary will hold their general meeting on Thursday, Sept. 28 at 7 p.m.
- **Sept. 28:** The Social Recreation program at Community Care offers an afternoon of Bid Euchre to seniors. The fun begins at 1 p.m. Call 457-2941 for more info.
- **Sept. 29:** Dorset Seniors Club Raffle Trip, 8:30 a.m. lunch coupon. For cost and info call 766-9483.
- **Sept. 29:** The Social Recreation program at Community Care offers an afternoon of Cribbage to seniors. The fun begins at 1 p.m. Call 457-2941 for more info.
- **Sept. 30:** St. Peter's Anglican Church - Maple Lake. Highland Tea, Sat., 11 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. For information call Pat at 489-3207.
- **Sept. 30:** Lakeland Conference VI - Buckhorn Community Centre, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. This year's primary focus will be on the effects of climate change on lake ecology on the Canadian Shield.
- **Sept. 30:** The Recreation Committee is hosting a fundraiser featuring "Northern Jam", Sat., Sept. 30 starting at 7:30 p.m. at the Lloyd Watson Centre in Wilberforce. Come and enjoy the entertainment or bring along your favourite musical instrument and join in for a few tunes. Entrance fee. Proceeds to improving the signboard in front of the community hall. Tea, coffee & goodies will be avail. at no charge.
- **Sept. 30:** Books Alive! An opportunity to view & purchase books, and to meet & enjoy lunch with the authors. Sat., 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Red Umbrella Inn on Hwy #35, (7 min. north of Minden). To register, call Kay at 286-6635. Visit our website at www.hhwen.org/events. Call Kay Millard at 286-6635 to register for lunch.
- **Sept. 30:** Highlands Tea Room & Boutique - St. Peter's Anglican Church, Maple Lake on Sat., 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Come for an old fashioned Scottish tea with dainty sandwiches, scones, jam & cookies.
- **Sept. 30 - Oct. 1 & Oct. 7-8:** Haliburton Studio Tour. Visit the studios of Haliburton County's artists and craftspeople while enjoying the autumn colours of the Highlands.
- **Sept. 30 to Oct. 15:** Exhibition - New Works by Gary Chapman and Ursula Reese at The Ethel Curry Gallery in Haliburton, 457-9687. Free.
- **Oct. 1-7:** Mental Illness Awareness Week - Did you know that one in five Canadians will experience a mental illness in their lifetime? Mental illness & addiction are more common than you think, yet ignorance & the stigma associated with these diseases often prevents those who need it most from getting help. Of the 10 leading causes of disability worldwide, five are mental disorders. Close to 4,000 Canadians commit suicide each year and it is the most common cause of death for people aged 15-24. By 2020 it is estimated that depressive illnesses will become the leading cause of disease burden in developed countries like Canada. To learn more, visit www.miaaw.ca. Mental illness concerns us all.
- **Oct. 2:** Beginner Tai Chi starts Mon. Oct. 2 at 9:30 a.m. & 7:15 p.m. at Pine St. United Church, Haliburton. First class is a free introduction. Call Wilma at 457-1909 to register. Note: The Taoist Tai Chi Society is a registered charity & all instructors are accredited & are volunteers.
- **Oct. 3 to Nov. 8:** Ontario Early Years with Haliburton Dance Arts Studio - Kindergym. Parents and children 18 mths. to 3 yrs. will enjoy this energetic program that gets children and caregivers excited about music and movement. Join us every Tuesday, 10:45 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. Please register at 457-2989.
- **Haliburton Area Motorcycle Social (H.A.M.S.)** Meet other motorcyclists at the Federal Dock, Head Lake in Haliburton every Thursday at 6:15 p.m. until the end of September. Ride leaves at 6:30 p.m. Everyone welcome. Contact Dale McCrea at 448-1023.
- **Oct. to Dec.:** Ontario Early Years Haliburton - Swim & Gym. 8 sessions for families with children 0-6 years at the Wigamog Inn. Join us Friday mornings starting Oct. 13th to Dec. 1st by registering at our Early Learning Centre 457-2989.
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- **Haliburton Legion, Br. 129** - Every Wednesday night is Bingo night. Early Bird starts at 7:00 p.m.
- **Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 636**, Minden holds its General Business Meeting on the first Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m.
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- **The Minden Women's Institute** meets in the Common Room at the Agnes Jamieson Gallery, Minden at 1:30 p.m. every 3rd Wed. of the month, Common Room 11:30 a.m.
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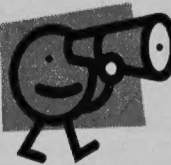
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Notices A910**Coming Events** A940

Friends of the Rail Trail
Wed. Oct 4
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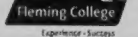
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Classes start Monday, January 8, 2007

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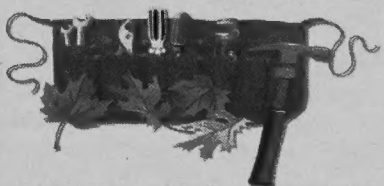
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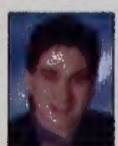


Tracy Ackerblade*
286-2911
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\$179,000

Gull River: This cute 4 season, 3 bedroom home has it all. Enjoy sitting in the hot tub on a very private level lot or boat to Minden or Gull Lake.
Call Tracy Ackerblade

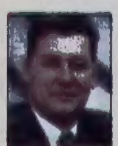


Troy Austen*
457-1011
ext. 231



\$149,000

Fort Irwin - Haliburton Lake: This commercially zoned property is located next to a busy marina. Currently operating as restaurant. Loads of potential. 2 storey, 1400 sq. ft. building w/living quarters.
Call Troy Austen



Ken Barry**
457-1011
ext. 228



\$169,900

Just steps to Maple Lake sand beach: Fantastic level lot with not one but 2 separate 2 bdrm cottages. Both have water & septic. One for you & bring the family & friends or get in on the booming cottage rental business. It's on a year round municipal road. Great opportunity at \$169,900.
Call Ken Barry



Linda Baumgartner*
457-1011
ext. 231



\$299,000

Growler/Bear Lake: 56.6 acre waterfront parcel w/650 ft. ftg. Nicely treed w/natural creek running through property. Gradual sand bottom entry & deep water shoreline. Privacy assured!
Call Linda Baumgartner



Linda Beachli***
ext. 227
457-1011



\$229,000

Chalet Lot: Wonderful 3+ bdrm fully finished home on manicured chalet lot at Sir Sam's, a short walk to the beach & the market. Privacy, access, hot tub, swimming pool, billiards. What else could you want for \$229,000.
Call Linda Beachli



Peter Brady**
457-1011
ext. 234



\$285,000

Highway #118 Commercial: House and service centre store with gas pumps, ready to go for this summer. Live and work on 3 acres, high profile successful location for many uses. Only \$289,900.
Call Peter Brady



Geoff Bunn*
457-1011
ext. 242



\$99,900

Long Lake Lot: One of the last lots under \$100,000. Great views of the lake from the building area, and deep water off of the end of the dock, the shoreline is a pebble and sand bottom.
Call Geoff Bunn



Fred Chapple*
286-2911
ext. 43



\$289,000

A B&B Opportunity - "Stone House": 5 cottages all set in a park-like setting (10.8ac), perennial gardens, tall pines, maples. All units have kitchenettes and baths. Some have lofts. Manicured lawns. Great business opportunity.
Call Fred Chapple



Deborah Doremo*
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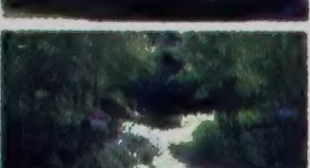


\$219,900

Country Home: 3 bdrm. home with loads of country charm & character on 3.2 acres w/308 ft. of mun. rd. access. Country-sized kitchen & dining area, farm-style wood ceilings, hardwood flooring, new carpet & ceramics, fin. lower level, 2 baths, decks, sunroom off detached 2 car garage. Perennial gardens & apple trees.
Call Deb Doremo



Victor Disik*
286-2911
ext. 45



Parcel 1 - 4 acres asking \$29,900
Parcel 2 - 49 acres asking \$85,900

Land, Land, Land: 2 separate private parcels terraced with hardwood. Excellent building sites.
Call Victor Disik



Vince Duchene**
457-1011
ext. 225



\$74,500

2 storey home in Minden Village: Located at 72 Bobcaygeon Road (Old Main Street). 2 bdrms, potential for 3rd, large kitchen with laundry, wrap around porch, garage & workshop... great value at \$76,900.
Call Vince Duchene



Lenor Fulton*
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\$399,000

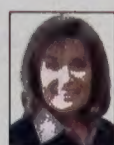
Boating on a 3 lake chain: This home features a sunken LR, screened in sunroom, main floor family room & laundry facilities. The lower level has a billiards room, jacuzzi room & bedroom w/a walk-in closet.
Call Lenor Fulton



\$1,500,000

Boshkung Lake: Luxury 4 bdrm, 4 bathrm w/l recreational estate featuring 4.5 privately wooded acres w/cart paths & tennis court, approx. 3600 sq. ft. beautifully designed upscale retreat home w/22 ft. cath. ceiling, master bdrm w/granite wall & ensuite. Media & games room with w/o to deck.
Call Julie Gray

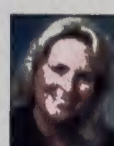
Julie Gray*
457-1011
exts. 230



\$799,000

Gull Lake: Just 2 hours from Toronto, this yr. rnd. w/l home features a fabulous view of Gull Lake from most rooms. Plenty of areas to entertain family & friends w/2 lg LRs, both w/FP & 6 spacious bdrms, 3 with w/o to decks & 3 baths. Interior design exudes warmth & charm with its wainscoting & country décor.
Call Marilyn Hawley

Marilyn Hawley
457-1011
ext. 237



\$178,000

Minden Home: Spacious & solid 3 bdrm all brick bungalow features a full finished bmt, att. garage, 2 new propane FPs, 2 baths. Large deck, att. garage. Private, nicely treed lot only minutes from town. Above ground pool & hot tub. Many recent upgrades incl. new windows. Immed. possession. Valu-priced at \$178,000.
Call Bill Kulas today

Bill Kulas*
286-2911
ext. 44



Building Lots

Gull River building lot: 145' waterfront & 178' deep. Close to Minden. \$120,000.
Spar Lake Road lot: w/bldg permit for 2000 sq. ft. new home & 2 car garage. New well drilled 100' deep, septic approval in place. Circular driveway in place & lot cleared. Only \$89,900.
Call Lynda Litwin

Lynda Litwin**
286-2911
ext. 35



\$539,900

Horseshoe Lake: Enjoy the sunsets from this gorgeous 3 bedroom, 4 season cottage/home on a private landscaped waterfront.
Call Rick Lowes

Rick Lowes*
286-2911
ext. 47



Wilberforce: 1,860 square feet, brick & vinyl w/full basement, 10.6 beautiful acres with large pond & trees. Wilberforce, Hwy 648 to Essonville Line, to 1026 Cooke St. Estate Rd.
Call Richard Moritz

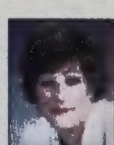
Richard Moritz*
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\$850,000

Blue Hawk Lake: A paradise oasis awaits on the outskirts of Haliburton. Approx. 2000 feet w/135 acres of gorgeous treed forest assures privacy & tranquility. build your dream home or cottage on this unique "One of a Kind" property.
Call Karen Nimigon

Karen Nimigon*
457-1011
ext. 224



\$129,900

Kashagawigamog Lake: Affordable cottage ownership on 5 lake chain. Sandy beach & sunsets. Shared ownership in Chateau Woodland Resort. Includes 2 swimming pools, tennis courts, canoes & docking. Large 1 bdrm, 3 pc. bath, kitchen & sunroom.
Call Tom & Gail Tempest

Tom & Gail Tempest*
286-2911
ext. 41



\$399,700

Gull Lake: Sunsets on Gull Lake! Expansive western view featuring an island & 100' of sandy shoreline on a terraced lot with yr. rnd. access. This 3-bdrm Viceroy is well kept, full insulated, winter water is easy to install for full 4-season use, floor to ceiling stone FP, & double garage.
Call Elizabeth Thompson

Elizabeth Thompson*
457-1011
ext. 248



\$209,000

2051 Horseshoe Lake Road: Immaculate 2 storey country home, large kitchen and dining area, w/o to rear deck, 3+1 bdrms, 2 bathrooms, w/o finished basement, mud room off garage, FAO heating, 3 acres, short walk to public beach.
Call Ted Vasey

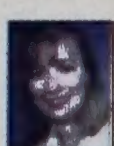
Ted Vasey*
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\$359,000

Gull River: Beautiful grounds & decks enhance this 3 bdrm, 2 bath home on Gull River. Boat to Gull Lake or Minden. Features include: pine kitchen, w/o from DR, master ensuite, full finished basement & a double garage for all of your toys!
Call Melanie Vigrass

Melanie Vigrass*
286-2911
ext. 40



\$229,000

Salerno Lake: Spectacular southern view of Salerno Lake. Charming & well maintained cottage w/two guest bunks, including one at the water w/its own balcony. All plumbing updated in 2003. New jet pump, pressure tank. All decks, docks & stairs new in 2005. Invite your family & friends & enjoy!
Call Frank Wilson

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